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## Remarks/Arguments

Responsive to the Examiner's restriction requirement, applicant hereby elects Group I (Claims 1-13) for prosecution in this application and reserves the right to file a divisional application directed to the subject matter of claims 14-20.

Applicant further elects to prosecute claims drawn to a bank asset holder. Claims 1-4 and 6-13 read on this species.

Applicant further elects to prosecute claims drawn to an Internet website electronic means. Claims 1-2 and 4-13 read on this species.

Claim 10 has been amended to correct a typographical error.

An action on the merits is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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